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DYNAMICALLY RECONFIGURABLE PHOTONIC SWITCHED
NETWORK
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Restriction Requirement dated March 9, 2005, the due date having been extended one (1) month to May 9, 2005, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.

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